

The Oxford County Citizen.

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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1918.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE

ANDOVER FAIR.

Large Crowd and Fine Exhibits

Wednesday, Sept. 18, was the first day of the Andover fair. Before noon everything was in readiness, the morning was cool and cloudy. There was a large crowd of people from surrounding towns who enjoyed the attractions and exhibits together with the excellent baked bean and oyster dinner served by the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society.

The exhibits were varied. The stock included registered thoroughbred Holstein cows owned by Y. A. Thurston and Roger Thurston. Eight yoke of Durham oxen and steers exhibited by Ray Thurston. Some fine Durham cattle by S. F. and G. W. Abbott and some Hereford cattle exhibited by the Philbrick Brothers of Farmers' Hill made a fine showing. Beautiful fancy work was shown in the exhibition hall, and also cooking, butter, jellies and some pie canned fruits were shown.

The Girls' Canning Club under the direction of Mrs. Chas. Bartlett, had a fine exhibition. More than a hundred cans were shown. Some nice looking fruit was exhibited. Chas. Lovejoy, E. M. Bailey and Mrs. Evelyn Stevens had good collections. Jesse Elliot, L. Danion, Walter Bailey, Ralph Hewey had good exhibits of farm crops. J. H. Martin, Rumford Point, showed a splendid trace of sweet corn.

The ball game Wednesday was between the Andover High school and Rumford High school and resulted in the score of 7 to 2 in favor of Andover. In the Boys' and Girls' Canning Club, Tressa Milton won first prize of \$2.00. She had 15 varieties; Harold Dowell received second prize of \$2.00; Margaret Learned received third prize of \$1.00. The other exhibitors received awards of 15c and 25c.

The midway had many attractions. Peter Morrill from Rumford sold hot coffee and frankfurts. Chas. Howe was selling notions and soft drinks. Harry Isaacson from Norway sold sweaters and men's furnishings. Frank Jamieson sold fruit. There was also the World Wonders, six calves born at one birth. The rain began to fall at 2:30 and the races were called off till Thursday. Thursday was an ideal day and over 1400 tickets were sold at the gate. The Congregational Society furnished delicious dinners of oysters and baked beans each day.

The grand ball was held Wednesday evening in the town hall and a good company was present. Shaw's orchestra from Norway furnished excellent music. The Agricultural Society furnished an excellent oyster and pastry supper. The Society also had another ball Thursday evening with a fine attendance.

The officers of the Society are: President, Y. A. Thurston; 1st Vice President, R. B. Stratton, Rumford; 2nd Vice President, C. T. Poor; Secretary, J. F. Talbot; Treasurer, Mathias Mooney.

PREMIUM LIST

Stock
Herd, Grade Hereford: Philbrick Bros., 1st; thoroughbred Durham, G. W. and B. F. Abbott, 1st; thoroughbred Durham, Ray Thurston, 1st; cow, Durham, cow 3 years old, cow 2 years old, G. W. and B. F. Abbott, 1st; 1 year old heifer, Durham, calf bull, Ray Thurston, 1st; thoroughbred Holstein (registered) cow, Roger Thurston, 1st; Y. A. Thurston, 2nd. Holstein calf, (registered), Y. A. Thurston, 1st. Fred French, 1st; 1 year old, Fred French, 1st.

Hereford bull, 2 years old, Philbrick Bros., 2nd; N. B. Godwin, Newry, 1st; Hereford cow, thoroughbred, N. B. Godwin, 2nd; 2 year old, N. B. Godwin, 1st; calf heifer, N. B. Godwin, 1st. Grades: Cow, 4 years old for stock cow, Ray Thurston, 1st; 2nd; 2 years old, Ray Thurston, 1st; 1 year old, Philbrick Bros., 1st; 2nd; 3rd; calf, Ray Thurston, 1st; 2nd; 3rd; bull calf, Philbrick Bros., 1st, 2nd.

Billy cow, Guernsey, Marshall Howard, 1st; 2 year old Holstein, Wm. Miller, 2nd; 2 year old Holstein, Wm. Miller, 1st; calf, Marshall Howard, 1st; 2 year old grade Guernsey, George Thomas, 1st.

Town team steers, Ray Thurston, 1st, 2nd; 3 year old steers, 2 year old steers, Ray Thurston, 1st; Roger Milton, 2nd; 3 year old, Ray Thurston, 1st; N. B. Godwin, 2nd; Ray Thurston, 2nd; calves, Ray Thurston, 1st.

Matched cattle: oxen, Philbrick Bros., 1st; 2 year old, Roger Milton, 1st; Ray Thurston, 2nd; 1 year old, Ray Thurston, 1st; Irving Akers, 2nd; Philbrick Bros., 2nd.

SHOOT

Rock sheep, Oxford Downs, Ray Thurston, 1st. Fleck lambs, Fred Miller, 1st.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The rooms are open as usual and there is need of workers to finish the September allotment.

The committee would like to have the knitters bring in the sweaters and socks that they have before Oct. 1st.

The people are asked to bring in their contributions to the Belgian Relief Box this week. The Bethel quota is 250 pounds and we must fill it.

POULTRY

White Wyandotte chicks, Bessie Gregg, 1st; Ruth Bailey, 2nd. Barred Plymouth Rocks, Jesse Elliot, 1st; W. L. Bailey, 2nd.

White Plymouth Rock chicks, Geo. Thomas, 1st. Rhode Island Red fowls and chicks, Mrs. Arthur Stevens, 1st.

Indian Runner Ducks, Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 1st.

DRAFT HORSES

J. J. McPherson, Hanover, 2nd; Wm. Gregg, 3rd; C. F. Saunders, 1st.

SWEETSTAKES

J. J. McPherson, 1st; C. F. Saunders, 2nd; Ray Thurston, 3rd.

HORSES FOR GENERAL PURPOSE

Brood mare: Wm. Gregg, 1st; 3 year old, C. F. Saunders, Hanover, 1st; L. D. Howard, Mexico, 2nd; Joe Langlois, 3rd; 2 year old, Fred Milton, 1st; 2nd; Geo. S. Walker, Hale, 3rd.

Suckling colt: Wm. Gregg, 1st. Single driver: Geo. Walker, 2nd. Stallion: 2 years old, C. F. Saunders, 1st; 1 year old, M. E. Gallon, Mexico, 1st; best single driver, Jack Foster, 1st.

Class 2—Brood mare, draft, Ray Thurston, 1st; 1 year old, Frank Langlois, 1st. Suckling colt, Ray Thurston, 1st. Draft horses, Ray Thurston, 1st. Stallion, C. F. Saunders, 1st.

VEGETABLES

Field crops and garden vegetables: V. R. Gallon, Mexico, 27 varieties, 1st; Ralph Hewey, 18 varieties, 2nd; Ralph Penley, Rumford, 15 varieties, 3rd.

Onions: J. W. Suter, 1st; George S. Walker, 2nd. Potatoes: Green Mountain, John Bailey, 1st; L. R. Hall, 2nd.

Parsnips: Ira Wing, 1st. Watermelon, musk melon, carrot, Leon Roberts, 1st.

Pumpkin: Leon Roberts, 1st; Ira Wing, 2nd.

Squash: Hubbard, Leon Roberts, 1st; J. H. Martin, Rumford, 2nd.

Cabbage: M. Mooney, 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd.

Mangel: M. Mooney, 1st.

Beet: blood, Ira Wing, 1st; John Bailey, 2nd.

Tomatoes: Leon Roberts, 1st; V. R. Gallon, 2nd.

Corn: King Philip, L. R. Damon, 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd; Ira Wing, 3rd.

Carrots: Ira Wing, 1st.

Cranberry Bean: Ira Wing, 1st.

Kentucky Bean: Ira Wing, 1st.

Peas: J. H. Martin, Rumford Pt., 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd.

Sweet Corn: J. H. Martin, 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd. 10-rowed corn.

Red kidney bean, Sulphur bean, pea bean, yellow eye bean, pea (marrowfat), squash, cucumber, pea plant, turnip, cabbage (red), carrot, tomato, Leon Roberts, 1st.

Potatoes (White River), potato, Lily of the Valley, Early Record, squash (marrow, delicious), J. H. Martin, 1st.

Wheat, White Kidney Bean, Telephone Pea, L. D. Howard, 1st.

Eight-rowed corn: L. D. Howard, 1st. Golden Bantam Corn, Ira Wing, 1st.

Squash: Ruth Bailey, 1st, 2nd.

Pumpkin: Wm. Gregg, 2nd; Ruth Bailey, 3rd.

Onion: White (table multipliers), Ralph Hewey, 1st.

Beet: Leon Roberts, 1st; L. D. Howard, 2nd; Roger Milton, 3rd.

Blood Turnip: John Bailey, 1st; C. F. Saunders, 2nd.

Onion: John Bailey, 2nd.

Potatoes: White River, Roger Milton, 1st. Early Prince, Ralph Hewey, 1st; John Bailey, 2nd. Green Mountain, John Bailey, 2nd; Leon Roberts, 3rd.

Cow Horn, John Bailey, 1st. Vicks, John Bailey, 2nd.

Turnips: Earliana, Ralph Hewey, 1st. Yellow Plum, Ralph Hewey, 1st; Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 2nd.

Eight rowed corn: Ruth Bailey, 2nd. Peas: C. F. Saunders, 2nd.

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GOULD'S ACADEMY

Mrs. Driscoll is ill with sciatica.

Vivian Jackson arrived at Holden Hall, Monday.

The Y. M. C. A. holds its first regular meeting on Thursday.

A large number of graduates attended the Senior special.

Ernestine Philbrook visited the Academy last Wednesday.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Witham attended the social Thursday evening.

The Senior reception to the Freshmen was well attended and much enjoyed apparently.

Mr. Fowler and Mr. Parker rode over to Milton Plantation on their bicycles on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Burton of West Medway, Mass., visited the Academy on Wednesday, Sept. 18.

The cabinet of the Y. W. C. A. held a meeting Monday at the close of the business meeting of the G. A. U. A.

Wednesday, Sept. 25, school began at 8 a. m., and closed at 11:00 in order to allow students to attend the fair at West Bethel.

The Y. W. C. A. meeting this week was held on Tuesday in the assembly room. The leader was Kathryn Hanson. Subject, "Favorite Characters in the Bible." Five new members so far have signed.

Wednesday, Sept. 18, the school marched in a body to the station to meet Philip Smith and Mr. Witham, returning from the front. Cheers were given and then the school escorted the soldiers up Main street, preceded by the flag.

Monday at 3:30 p. m., a meeting of the G. A. U. A. was held in the assembly room. Reports were presented and a committee on Ways and Means was appointed by the chair to arrange for some entertainment. Pres. Bryant appointed the following committee: Mr. Pollard, Miss Pratt, Miss Tyler, Miss Beckler and Robert Hanson.

LOCAL CONTEST FOR BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUBS

The Girls' and Boys' Agricultural Clubs will hold their local contest, Friday evening, Sept. 27, at 7:30, at Gould's Academy.

There will be an exhibition of canned goods and corn.

The citizens of the town are requested and urged to be present and inspect the good work the boys and girls have done this summer.

The canned goods will be judged by Miss Ellis of the Agricultural College, Orono, Maine, Assistant to the State Leader of Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Clubs.

The corn will be judged by Prof. George E. Yeates, County Agent.

Remarks will be made by Mr. Chas. Pollard and Prof. Yeates.

A Van Den Kerckhoven, Emergency County Club Leader.

SEARCH FOR NEW LAND ABOVE THE ARCTIC CIRCLE

Dr. Donald McMillan, who accompanied Peary in his expedition to discover the North Pole, will lecture in Norway Opera House, Norway, Friday evening, Sept. 27th, at 8 o'clock. Tickets 35c, children 15c and no war tax.

The Doctor has spent 4 years in exploring Labrador and returned last year. He is an intensely interesting speaker and his lecture is illustrated by moving pictures taken by him in that almost unknown land. It is well worth hearing and seeing. No reserved seats.—Adv.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the people of Bethel for the substantial assistance given me in my recent bereavement.

A. LEVESQUE

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to all who so kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement, Rev. H. S. Treman for his words of comfort and sympathy, and others for beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. E. M. Barbank, Miss N. Barbank, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sanborn, Mrs. C. L. Sanborn.

Sends Fit the Dam in Totodam.

OBITUARIES

MRS. ALBERT C. FROST

Mrs. Myrtle H. Frost passed away at her home, corner of Chapman and Mason streets, Thursday forenoon at the age of forty-nine years. Although she had been in poor health for a number of years, yet it was only a few weeks ago that her condition became critical. Mrs. Frost was the daughter of the late John and Mathilda Andrews Holt and has always lived in Bethel. Active in the orders of the Rebekahs and the Eastern Star until her health failed her, she made many friends who were quick to recognize her sterling character and honor her for the sincerity of her friendship.

A devoted wife and mother, her greatest pride was in her home, where, surrounded by her husband and two daughters her happiness seemed to be complete.

Besides her husband and two daughters, Dorris and Marion, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Jennie Tenney.

The funeral was held at the home on Sunday afternoon with Rev. J. H. Little officiating.

MISS ABBIE A. SANBORN

Miss Abbie A. Sanborn, daughter of the late David and Virtue Barker Sanborn, died at the Sanborn old homestead near Middle Intervale last Friday.

Miss Sanborn was born in Bethel on February 15, 1837, and upon reaching young womanhood she followed the custom at that time of going away to work in the mills of the cities. She continued in this until it seemed best to give up this strenuous work and to come back to Bethel and make a home for herself and brother.

Of a retiring nature she did not mingle to a great extent into the activities of life, yet her gentleness won her many friends.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Ellen M. Burbank of Bethel, and several nephews and nieces.

The funeral was held at the home on Sunday afternoon with Rev. H. S. Treman officiating.

ALICE BLANCHE LEVESQUE

Olivia Blanche West was born in Hall's, N. S., thirty years ago and came to Massachusetts with her parents in her girlhood. She married Mr. Levesque nine years since.

They came to Bethel from Swampscott, Mass., about six years ago. She was of a bright and cheerful disposition, and her kind and neighborly ways have endeared her to all her acquaintances.

She was an excellent mother, a faithful and affectionate wife and helpmeet. She passed away last Friday night after an illness of three weeks.

The funeral was held at her home last Sunday afternoon, and was largely attended by friends and neighbors. Rev. W. C. Curtis officiated.

Mrs. Levesque is survived by her husband, three little children, a father and several brothers and sisters.

Mr. Levesque has the heartfelt sympathy of all his acquaintances. His mother will have the care of his children for the present.

MISS KATHERINE YEAGER

Word was received Monday morning of the death in Boston of Miss Katherine Yeager from pneumonia.

Miss Yeager was the daughter of Mrs. Francis F. Yeager, who has so successfully managed the Bethel Inn for the past year, and has been here assisting her mother until a few weeks ago when she went to Boston to work, only to be stricken with the prevailing malady which soon resulted in pneumonia.

All that it was possible to do was done for her but to no avail. The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. Yeager and her daughter, Mrs. Gardner, in this hour of their trouble.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE FAIR

Remember that Bear River Grange Fair will be held at Newry Corner, Saturday, Sept. 28, 1918.

Come and see the ball game between West Paris and Rumford teams played at 10:30 a. m.

Dinner will be served at 12 M. Games and amusements of all kinds will occupy the afternoon also horse pulling, and judging of cattle, vegetables, etc. Dancing afternoon and evening. Bean and Lord's orchestra. All are cordially invited.

"Fighting Fourth" Liberty Loan begins September 30th.

Get ready; save to buy; buy early.

GRANGE NEWS

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21. Our next meeting, Oct. 3, is an all day meeting. West Paris Grange is invited to attend. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred.

The Lecturer gave the following program:

Muscle, Reading, Flash, The Fireman's Story, Sister Blondell, Duet, Sisters Pezham and Davis Question, "What is the best method to protect our property against fire?"

PARIS GRANGE

Paris Grange met Saturday, September 21, at 8:15 p. m. Officers present: Master, Overseer, Lecturer, Chaplain, Steward, Ceres and Lady Assistant Steward. One member was received by ballot and one application was presented. The committee on service flag reported and one with four stars on it was hung in the hall, representing Dr. D. M. Stewart, R. Guy Cole, Bertrand Swallow and Albert H. Wheeler. A vote was taken to have the date of Grange Fair, which is to be in October fixed by the lady officers. Next regular meeting is to be Oct. 2 at 1:30 p. m.

BETHEL WELCOMES HOME HER FIRST SOLDIER BOY FROM THE TRENCHES

Last Thursday forenoon word was received by Mr. and Mrs. George Smith that their son, Sergt. Phil Smith would arrive on the morning train. The word was spread around very quickly and by train time a large number of the townspeople had gathered at the station and the Academy students were present in a body.

Upon the arrival of the train nine lusty cheers were given by the students for Sergt. Smith and also for Sergt. Witham who had come up from Norway with him. Then a procession was formed and Sergts. Smith and Witham were escorted up Main street.

Sergt. Smith is a member of Co. D, 103rd U. S. Infantry, and went to France with his company but has been sent back to this country as an instructor. After a ten days' furlough he will report to Camp Devens.

Sergt. Smith has had some very interesting experiences and was fortunate enough to come through some of the severest battles without injury.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, the Angel of Death has again entered our Chapter calling upon one of its members to make the journey to "That bourne from which no traveler ever returns," thus severing one of the golden links in our fraternal chain, and compelling us to part for a time with our esteemed sister, Minnie F. Frost, therefore, be it

Resolved, That while we humbly bow to the Divine decree, we deeply mourn the loss of our sister, who was always a loyal and faithful member of our Order.

Her memory will live in our hearts as a precious legacy.

Resolved, That we extend our deepest sympathy to her sorrowing family in the loss of one so true and loving in every home relation, to her host of friends and the Order of which she was a member.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the sorrowing family, be spread upon the minutes of our Order, and printed in the local paper.

N. L. CURTIS,

EVA B. FOX,

C. K. FOX.

Com. on Resolutions.

THE LIBERTY LOAN ARMS OUR SOLDIERS

The subscribers to the Liberty Loans have purchased for the War Department over \$1,000,000,000 of ordnance—\$1,000,000,000 was spent for artillery; \$200,000,000 for automatic rifles; \$100,000,000 for small arms; nearly \$2,000,000,000 for artillery ammunition and \$149,000,000 for small arms ammunition; \$29,000,000 was spent for armored motor cars.

It is estimated that \$7,000,000,000 will be spent by the Ordnance Department this current year.

Every American wishes to have a part in winning the war and supporting our soldiers who are fighting our battles in France. Every subscriber to the Fourth Liberty Loan will have a part in the great achievements that the American Army is accomplishing, and in the achievements which the greater and about once each month thereafter.

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WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines, 1 week, 26c, 3 weeks 50c.

—SHOES—

All kinds and styles of shoes from infant's to heavy work shoes. Rubbers and lumbermen's outfits in all the best makes.

Gent's light dress and heavy stockings.

Gent's Work Gloves,

Ladies' Fall and Winter Gloves,

Men's Mackinaws,

Men's lined Coats and heavy Warm Vests,

Cotton Gloves by the pair or doz.

YOUNG'S

Phone 14-4

PICTURE MOULDING

A new line of picture mouldings at prices that are right. Bring in your pictures. Work guaranteed.

ALANSON TYLER,

7-11-St. Spring St., Bethel,

NETHER, MAINE

Entered as second class matter, May 7, 1913 at the post office at Bethel, Maine.

NORWAY

With sister Tottie Pearl College.
 Sister Miss Mattie Fogg, grand
 daughter of Mr and Mrs George H.
 Fogg, Ray born a great little work of
 Art. Sister Miss Mary H. Fogg.

By J. E. Jones

the responsibility of not only helping to steer the ship of state safely during troublesome war times, but to seek calm seas for easy sailing in the days when terrorism will be conquered and wars will be no more.

By O. E. Conkey
There are some of us keeping poultry who have not yet learned the improvement we could make in our flock if we introduced a pure bred male bird.

**BRANCH BANK AT BUCKFIELD ME.
PAYS INTEREST ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS**

SUCCESSOR TO FREELAND HOWE
146 MAIN STREET. Telephone NORWAY, MAINE

The Citizen Office

fundamental reason why pure bred
flocks are better producers, for in such
flocks, each bird is getting the very
best it needs.

Buy to Keep

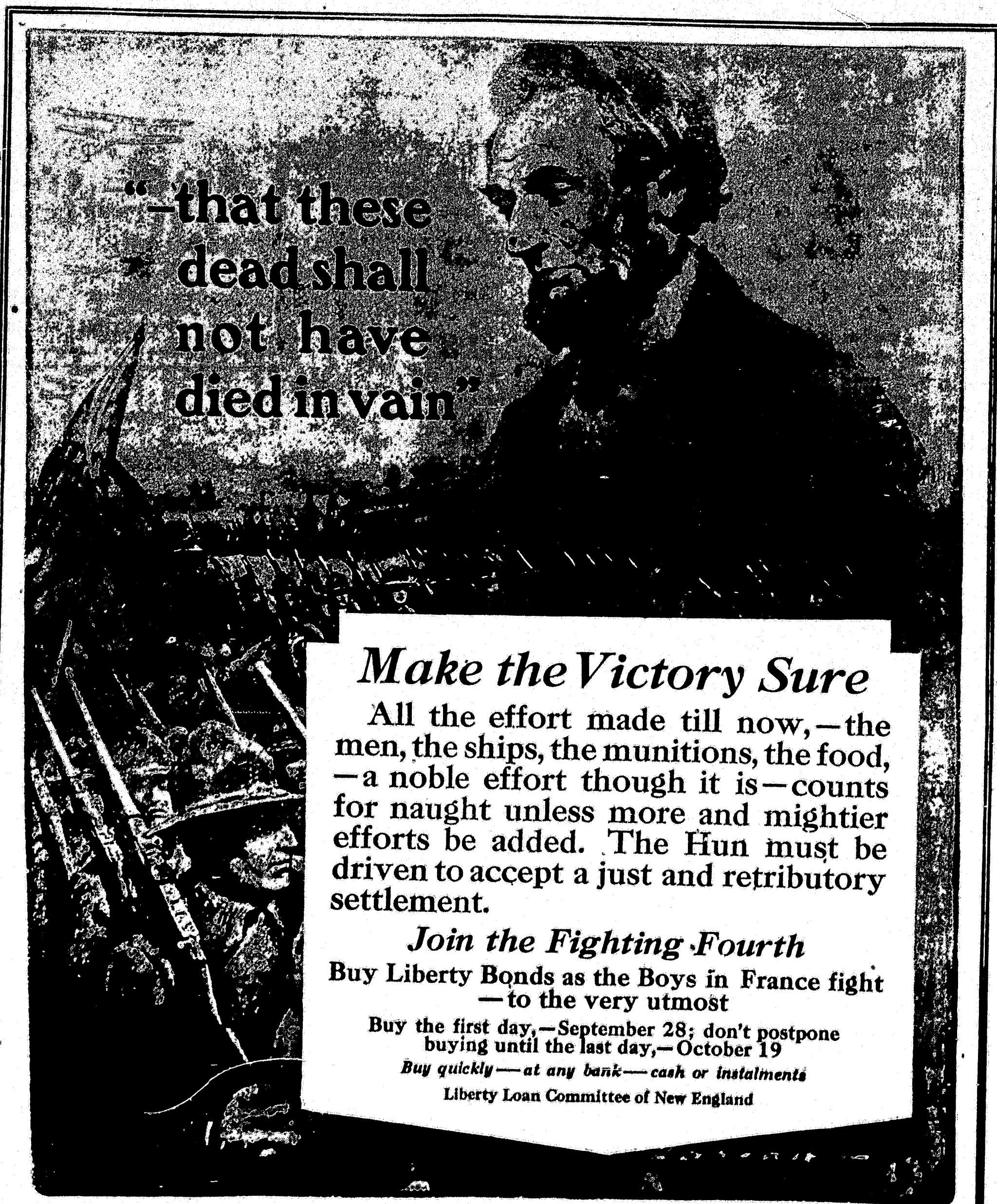
HAM CO. Belts, M.

For Sale By J. B. HAM CO., Bethel, Maine.

Agents

SOUTH PARIS, MAINE

'Save to Buy' and Buy to Keep



Make the Victory Sure

All the effort made till now,—the men, the ships, the munitions, the food,—a noble effort though it is—counts for naught unless more and mightier efforts be added. The Hun must be driven to accept a just and retributory settlement.

Join the Fighting Fourth

Buy Liberty Bonds as the Boys in France fight
—to the very utmost

Buy the first day,—September 28; don't postpone
buying until the last day,—October 19

Buy quickly—*at any bank—cash or instalments*
Liberty Loan Committee of New England

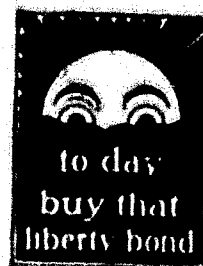
Extracts from personal letter of First Lt. R. D. Skinner, U. S. N. A., formerly of the Boston Herald Staff

Headquarters U. S. Air Service,
France, June 16, 1918.

*** "I can't tell you of all the wonder of these days—of the great stirring fact that we seem to have arrived in time, and of the tribute the French are paying us by giving us the worst posts of the battle because they know we will not fail them—and of the privilege we have now, not merely to step in and seal a victory, but to bring that victory from

3000 miles, like a vast wave, and to drive it far into Germany! It seems as if overnight it has become a wonderful thing just to be an American, and to be one of that vast army of young men, so splendidly young—that is fighting like the wrath of God to make the world the place they want it to be for them and theirs. Don't think me foolish—but idealism has come back into this war again, and America has made it the ideal of youth against distorted old-age,

of determination to live against the will to blast all life! If you could only see how young this army is that you meet everywhere in France, that is fighting at every end of the line, and swarming overseas on every ship! It's the most astounding thing in the world's history, and on certain days something happens to our eyes and we are able to see the thing in its true proportions. It is worth a life just to live today."



This advertisement is endorsed and paid for by Bethel National and Bethel Savings Banks as a part of their efforts to fight this war to a prompt and victorious conclusion.

GOOD CLOTHES

are so scarce and prices rising so steadily that we wish to say frankly, the woman who buys her Coat or Suit now, not only insures a better choice, a better value, a longer season of service, but will find among our splendid showing of Suits and Coats models and fabrics so exclusive that they cannot be obtained later.

Coats, \$19.45 to \$55.00
Suits, \$24.75 to \$50.00

THE NEW DRESSES.

DRESSES are very popular this season, particularly Wool Jersey, the styles are neat and becoming. Satins are very good this season, many are in combination with Georgette Crepe. Serges are always good and are in great demand this season.

Wool Jerseys, \$22.45 to \$27.45
Satins, \$17.75 to \$28.75
Serges, \$16.45 to \$24.75

THE NEW WAISTS

As usual we are showing a wonderful assortment of Waists this Fall, consisting of Georgette Crepe, Crepe-de-Chene, Satin striped Taffeta and cotton Voile.

Georgette Crepe, \$5.95, 6.95, 7.45
Crepe-de-Chene, \$3.98, 4.98
Striped Taffetas, \$2.45
Voiles, 98c to \$3.95

THE NEW SKIRTS

The Skirts this Fall are unusually pretty, the materials beautiful. They include all-wool plaids and stripes in the new rich Fall coloring, many pleated models.

Beautiful wool plaids, \$9.95 to 18.75
Plain colors, all wool, \$5.95 to 12.45
Attractive plaid skirts, \$5.95, 6.95, 7.45

Brown, Buck & Co.
NORWAY, MAINE

DEALING WITH CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

In dealing with contagious diseases of cattle the basic principle of prevention is to keep carriers of infection away from the herd. Next to importation is maintaining the surroundings in a sanitary condition. Following this, the animal's natural resistance to disease should be increased by natural and medicinal means. Ordinarily, disease strikes about the country only in the form of diseased animals or attached to some intermediate object, these may include healthy or recovered animals, contaminated feed and water, infected cars and pastures, or the close confinement of some infectious person who entered an area during the disease state. Anything which causes disease and keeping healthy away from sources of infection are the important methods of preventing disease.

The high of contagious disease comes in the form of the farmer who has a disease which causes a complete loss of the herd and who is unable to get the herd back to work. At this time when every step should be taken promptly to avoid disease and to prevent its spread, it is all the more important that the farmer with some of the disease get to work at once with the most effective and country agricultural agent.

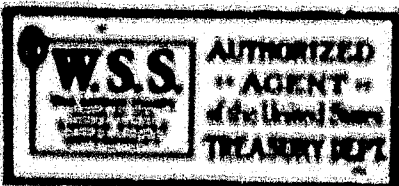
WAR WORK FOR CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS

War Department Asks The Boys' and Girls' Clubs to Collect Material For Gas Masks for the Boys on the Fighting Front

In a letter received from Washington by State Leader Charles E. Crossland of the Boys' and Girls' Agricultural Clubs of the University of Maine, the request comes from the War Department for every club boy and girl to help collect material to make gas masks for our soldiers.

The War Department has issued a call to every club member and every club leader to do a vital war service collecting, saving, drying, storing and shipping to places to be specified later, such as, cotton, flannel, ribbons, and buttons, and the clubs of hockey, tennis, and other sports, and date seeds. The most of the work is not necessary, however, for a gas mask, when they have been referred to cotton which readily absorbs the poisonous chemical gases, while two bucked quack pins make one mask.

Every club member is urged to assist, and to get other boys and girls to help. Letters have been sent to the club leaders telling them about this call and asking their assistance. Club men



You can buy them as well as Fresh Groceries
FRED E. WHEELER

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mrs. A. Newell of Gilford was calling on friends, Monday.

Mr. E. C. Park was a business visitor in Portland, Monday.

Mrs. Frank Farrington was in Norway one day last week.

Mr. Ernest Walker went to Lewiston, Thursday, to attend the Shriner's meeting.

Mrs. Abbott of Wellsley, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Hiram Bean and Miss Kate Howe.

Mr. Edwin Sherwin of Boston arrived in Bethel, Monday, for a short stay with friends.

Mr. Harlan Wheeler and family have moved into the N. F. Brown house on Spring street.

Rev. W. C. Curtis was called to Albany, Friday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Leighton.

Mr. Wesley Bragg of Whitesville, Mass., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Andrews.

Mr. J. G. Roberts and Mr. G. C. Barker of Hanover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hastings, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartlett and two children of Andover were Sunday guests of Mr. L. W. Russell and family.

Mr. N. R. Springer and Mr. Fred Wood went to Woodford, Thursday to attend the Sunday School Institute.

Rev. J. H. Little, Mr. and Mrs. John Thibault, who have been spending several weeks at South Freeport, have returned home.

Miss Harry Young went to Boston, Monday, where he will enter the Student Army Training Corps at Tufts Dental College.

The Maine and New Hampshire regiments, the 102d Infantry, with 168 men killed and dead of wounds to date, tops the honor roll of New England units.

Miss Alice Kimball, who is training for a nurse in the Homeopathic Hospital, Boston, is at home for a three weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kimball.

Friday, the 13th. Both the day of the week and the number have been conspicuously lucky for the United States from the first day in our history. After instance Columbus began his voyage of discovery on a Friday. And there were 13 original States in the Union.

It's General Pershing's birthday anniversary, which adds another proof to the already long list of historic occurrences that 13 is Uncle Sam's lucky number. (Threefold so in this case since there are also 13 letters in the signature of John J. Pershing, and he arrived in Europe on the 13th of July.)

Here are a few familiar points which show how lucky the number 13 really is: provided you believe in "luck," which, of course, you don't: Thirteen original States. Thirteen stripes in Old Glory. Thirteen letters in "God, Washington."

Thirteen letters in "Woodrow Wilson." Thirteen letters, if you couple the historic nicknames of "Old Abe" with "Lincoln." And his other nicknames of "Father Abraham" has 13 letters. Thirteen letters in "Massachusetts."

Thirteen letters in "David Porter." Thirteen letters in "John Paul Jones." President Jefferson's term to April 15, and 13 letters to the question "What do you do?"

Thirteen letters in signatures of two Presidents of the United States, "Thomas Jefferson" and "James Madison." Winfield Scott born on June 13, and 13 letters to his name. Officers of the Mexican war, which began on May 13, Manifesto surrendered to Americans on Aug. 13.

Thirteen letters in "Vivian Grey." Thirteen letters in "Robert Lee." Thirteen letters in signature "Theodore Roosevelt."

Thirteen letters in "Andrew Jackson." Mr. etc. etc. Figure it out for your self.

Back the Fighting Men with The Fighting Loan.

here should consult with their local bankers and make plans to "save pins and shells, to give others, to save pins and shells and to collect pins and shells that others have saved."

Miss Elsie Davis was in Norway one day last week.

Mrs. F. P. Chandler of Auburn spent Sunday with her parents.

Several attended the Oxford North Agricultural Fair at Andover last week.

Mr. Clinton Barker of Togus, Me., is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. Ernest Ham and little daughter of Auburn are guests of her sister, Mrs. Zila Durkee.

Mrs. Channing Grover of Wheelock, Me., is spending several days with relatives in town.

Mrs. Marshall W. Davis of Roxbury, Mass., is the guest of Judge A. E. Herrick and family.

E. C. Park, Esq., was admitted to practice in the U. S. District Court at Portland, Monday.

Lieut. Harold Bleh of Camp Devens was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Bleh.

Dr. McMillan, the Arctic explorer, lectures at Norway next Friday evening. Lecture is illustrated.

Mr. Ivan Aron went to Montville, Tuesday, to visit his sister, Mrs. Chester Chishman, and family.

Mr. George S. Chapman was the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. L. Watts, of Portland a few days last week.

Miss Kate Howe has closed her summer home and returned to Bethel to be with her sister, Mrs. Hiram Bean.

Miss Helen Upton of North Reading, Mass., was the week end guest of her cousin, Mr. H. N. Upton, and wife.

Mrs. Lucinda Edwards, Mrs. S. P. Stearns and Mrs. E. C. Park were guests Monday of Mrs. E. S. Kilborn at Songo Pond.

Butter go down to Norway next Friday evening and hear and see Dr. McMillan at Norway Opera House at 8 o'clock.

The stores were closed all day Wednesday and several postponed themselves of the opportunity to attend the West Bethel Fair.

Mr. Fred Moulton has received an official notice stating that his son, George Moulton, was severely wounded in action August 24th.

Mr. J. B. Rich, who has been spending the summer at the "Hocot," Songo Pond, returned to his home in New York the first of the week.

The remains of Mrs. Emma E. Colburn of Otisfield, widow of Spaulding Colburn, formerly of Bethel, were brought to Bethel, Saturday, for burial.

Dr. Austin Tenney, who has been ill since spring, has recovered sufficiently to resume his eye work and will soon be in Bethel. See his ad elsewhere in this paper.

Miss Muriel Park returned to Smith College, Sunday, to enter upon her Junior year, after spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Park.

Prof. George Dana Bartlett and sister, Susan Bartlett, and Miss Georgia Phillips of Brooklyn, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hastings, Thursday, and calling on friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry of Dorchester, Mass., are spending a week at Maple Lake. Mr. Perry is an enthusiastic mountain climber and anticipates several delightful trips in this section.

Among those who attended the Oxford North Agricultural Fair at Andover, Tuesday, were: Mrs. W. H. Young, Mrs. E. L. Arno, Miss Alice Willis, Mrs. P. E. Farrington and Mrs. A. P. Cape land.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Albert Frost, Sunday, were: Mrs. Fred Hill of Hingham, Mass.; Mrs. Jeanie Tenney of Norway; Mrs. Arthur Wiley and daughter, Olive, of Bar Mills; Mr. Charles Ripley and Miss Berle Ripley of Andover.

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We shall all have to save coal—but how about keeping warm! Outside Windows will help that little coal pile to do the work of a big one. They will keep out the cold and help keep you warm.

They are also an economical and permanent investment. They pay for themselves quickly, twice over—in money and in comfort.

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will create an abnormal demand for Outside Windows and as our output is limited on account of the Government curtailment of window glass production, we urge that you place your orders now.

Deliveries may be made later, if you wish. Prices and further information gladly given upon request.

CHARLES G. BLAKE
Norway, Maine

RUMFORD

Mrs. R. T. Parker has been ill with pneumonia this week, but present writing is much better. A large number of the citizens attended Andover, Wednesday and Thursday and the good exhibits and also the racing.

The social which was to be held at the Universalist church Friday evening was held in the rain and about forty were not had a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Leopold Selomaner of street has been spending the past week in Berlin as the guest of her sister, H. L. Steinfield.

Thomas Chapman of Havenfield has been the guest of his sister, Frank Cunnell, of Penobscot since the past week.

Robert Ladd of the post office has resigned his position there, accepted one with the American Company.

The wedding of Miss Louise of Hale to Mr. John E. Cripps occurred on Monday last, some of the bride at 2 o'clock afternoon. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and the bride was attractively gowned in a blue suit and carried white tulle. Rev. Allan Brown, of the Universalist church, officiated by the members of the two were present. Mrs. Cripps was a clerk in the Rumford Trust Company, but for the past years has been stenographer at Barker. She is also a graduate of Rumford High school and has friends who extend to her good wishes. The young couple honeymoon at Kennebago will be home.

The Baptist church resumed Sunday after uniting with the Baptist and Methodist churches summer months. Prof. Chase, President Chase of Bates College. Mr. Gilbertville of Bates has accepted the call to be pastor of this church and at a date will move into the parsonage which is undergoing extensive work at the present time.

The campaign for the Fourth Lean will open Sunday next with parade which is to include men and children and in fact all interested in making this loan just one we have ever had.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pine were from Spruce street into the cottage on Rumford avenue, occupied by Ray Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harris were from New York, where Mrs. Harris accepted a fine position in the York office of the Oxford Paper.

Miss Florence Nelson has accepted an assistant in the high at Adams, Mass., and has left home.

L. E. Small of Mexico, who is confined to the house for a week by illness, is improving and expects to be able to resume his duties at school by the last of the month.

ALBANY

Last Saturday morning Mr. George Manley with their daughter, Grace Evans and niece, Mrs. Taylor, motored through town. Mr. and Mrs. Manley spent days in town visiting old friends returned Tuesday morning, Miss Manley going with them.

Mrs. Rowena Andrews is visiting her sister, Mrs. Abel Andrews.

Dexter Cummings went to St. Lawrence last week. Sherman Allen was home from Norway over Sunday.

Church services will be held every next Sunday. Some of the sermons written by some of our men.

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Money Means Munition. Buy City Bonds.

Daily dose

In these days of necessary thriftness economy, you will make a mistake in keeping your health by preventing sickness within your body. We do not know of any prescription combines such reliable medicines. Coughs, biliousness, headaches, etc., as that long-tried and trustworthy family remedy, the True "L. F." Atwood's Medicine or Bitters. Key in there anything so good that will cost you only one cent a dose. Buy it today at your dealer. Don't you having only the genuine "L. F." Atwood's Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

RUMFORD

Mrs. B. T. Parker has been threatened with pneumonia this week, but at the present writing is much better.

A large number of the citizens of Rumford attended Andover Fair last Wednesday and Thursday and enjoyed the good exhibits and also the horse racing.

The social which was to have been held at the Universalist church last Friday evening was held in spite of the rain and about forty were present and had a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Leopold Schenauer of Franklin street has been spending the past week in Berlin as the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Steinfield.

Thomas Chapman of Haverhill, Mass., has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Currier, of Penobscot street for the past week.

Robert Ladd of the post office force has resigned his position there and accepted one with the American Realty Company.

The wedding of Miss Louise Kilder of Hale to Mr. John E. Cripps of Bangor occurred on Monday last at the home of the bride at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The house was prettily decorated with wild flowers and evergreen.

The bride was attractively gowned in a blue suit and carried white carnations. Rev. Allan Brown, pastor of the Universalist church officiated. Only the members of the two families were present. Mrs. Cripps was for several years a clerk in the Rumford Falls Trust Company, but for the past two years has been stenographer at "The Barker."

She is also a graduate of the Rumford High school and has a host of friends who extend to her many good wishes. The young couple after a honeymoon at Kennebunk will reside in Bethel.

The Baptist church resumed services Sunday after uniting with the Universalist and Methodist churches for the summer months. Prof. Chase, son of the President Chase of Bates College, supervised. Mr. Gilbertville of Cherryfield has accepted the call to become the pastor of this church and at an early date will move into the parsonage which is undergoing extensive repairs at the present time.

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan will open Sunday next with a big parade which is to include men, women, children and in fact all who are interested in making this loan the biggest one we have ever had.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pine will move from Spruce street into the Randall cottage on Rumford avenue, formerly occupied by Ray Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris will soon leave for New York, where Mr. Harris has accepted a fine position in the New York office of the Oxford Paper Company.

Miss Florence Nelson has accepted a position as assistant in the high school at Adams, Mass., and has left for that place.

L. H. Small of Mexico, who has been confined to the house for a week past by illness, is improving and expects to be able to resume his duties at the Bethel school by the last of the week.

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Church services will be held at the vestry next Sunday. Some one will read a sermon written by some famous man.

Save for Your Country or Slave for the Hun. Money Means Munitions. Buy Liberty Bonds.

Daily dose

In these days of necessary thrift and household economy, you will make no mistake in keeping your health good and preventing sickness within your family. We do not know of any prescription that combines such reliable medicines for infection, biliousness, headache and constipation as that long-tried and trustworthy family remedy, the True "L. F." Atwood's Medicine or Bitters. For is there anything so good that will cost you only ten cents a dose. Buy it today of your dealer. Look for having only the genuine "L. F." Atwood's Medicine or Bitters, as made by the L. F. Medicine Co., Portland, Me.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them

This is purely a local event. It took place in Bethel. Not in some faraway place.

You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word. To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence than one you know nothing about.

Endorsed by unknown people. F. M. Wood, 4 Park St., says: "My kidneys began to annoy me some years ago after I had strained my back while lifting. After that, my back ached pretty badly and I was in miserable shape for a long time. When I took cold, my kidneys got congested and at times they acted irregularly. I finally used Doan's Kidney Pills and I never took another medicine that acted so quickly. I soon had relief from the backache and my kidneys were regulated. I get Doan's Kidney Pills at Rosserman's Drug Store as needed and they always help me."

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WEST PARIS

Jonathan Fairbanks Bryant died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Emery, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Bryant suffered a stroke of paralysis nearly a year ago at Togus, where he spent his winters to enjoy the company of old comrades. As soon as able he came to his daughter's here and with the exception of visits to other daughters remained here. He had been able to be around the village until the past week and about 48 hours previous to his death the final shock came and he did not recover consciousness. He was the son of Revard and Mary (Cummings) Bryant and was born at South Paris, January, 1844. One brother, J. M. Bryant, of Little Rock, Ark., who is over 60 years of age, is now in the National Cemetery there, survives. Mr. Bryant married Laura Ferrel of Errol, N. H., who died many years ago. Five children were born to them: a son, Gustavus, died from typhoid fever several years ago, and four daughters: Mrs. Maud Wheeler, Mrs. May Emery of West Paris; Mrs. Rose Boyce of South Paris; Mrs. Eva Kennagh of Bethel; also sixteen grandchildren. He volunteered in the 10th Maine and served to the end of the Civil War. He was deeply attached to the Grand Army and the few remaining veterans in the vicinity attended his funeral. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge and it was his request that they attend his funeral and perform their service. In all his affections he was well liked and respected. Rev. H. H. Hathaway officiated at the funeral which was held from the Free Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon. The Baptist choir sang. There were pretty flowers. Interment was in West Paris Cemetery.

Mrs. Irene Briggs of Portland has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Hara Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Curtis and daughter, Mildred, of Norway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Shield of Portland have been stopping at J. R. Tucker's.

Keith Field of the United States Navy was at home from Friday until Monday.

Mr. Emma Berry has recently received word from her son, Rupert, of the U. S. Navy that he had returned from a trip across or at least was in port in one of the States. This is his ninth trip across since enlisting in April, 1917.

Mrs. Nellie Moody of Locke's Mills has been a guest of relatives and friends the past week.

Mrs. Irvin L. Bowker of Portland, who has been attending a convention in St. Albans, Vt., spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Tuell, coming through Quebec and Montreal.

The corn factory has been running during the past week with the exception of two days. The factory has been fitted up with improved machinery and is husking. Some pieces of corn are very good and others nearly ruined. Clarence L. Richardson had 3 1/2 acres of corn from which he hauled six loads to the factory for which he will receive about \$528.

Clara Baron has returned to Farmington Normal to resume her teaching. This is her third year.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church and the Ladies' Social Circle of the Free Baptist will hold a harvest dinner, supper and entertainment in the evening of October 17th.

Marguerite McElroy is teaching in District No. 4, Greenwood, and boarding at F. H. Hill's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dunham of South Paris have been recent guests of her aunt, Mrs. O. K. Yates.

Rev. H. H. Hathaway, Mrs. W. W. Dunham, Mrs. W. P. Willis and Mrs. E. T. White attended the Oxford United Baptist Association at Hebron last week.

School opened last week. Miss Diana W. Pitts, principal, and Miss Murray of Waterville, assistant, are at Mrs. W. W. Dunham's. Miss Spiller boards at Mr. B. Bubbers. Miss Austin at S. T. White's and Miss Brock boards at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hammon are at Lovell, where they have work in the corn shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bidlow, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wyman, E. W. Penley and Alice Penley were among those who attended the State fair.

Will Nickerson and family of Stearns Hill attended the Andover fair.

Miss Martha Porter of East Thetford, Vt., is here, and her brothers, Harold and Roland, were here in attend the county fair.

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ANDOVER FAIR

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Wheat: Spring, Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 1st.

Beans: Improved Yellow Eye, Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 2nd.

Citron: Leon Roberts, 1st; Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 2nd.

Parasnis: John Bailey, 2nd.

BOYS' DISPLAY
Corn and Vegetables: Thomas Learner, 1st.

DAIRY PRODUCTS AND BREAD
Butter: Mrs. Will Learned, 2nd; J. F. Talbot, 3rd.

Fruit Cake: Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 1st.

Sponge Cake: Mrs. Y. A. Thurston, 1st; Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 2nd.

War Bread: Mary Malohuey, 1st; Mrs. M. P. Crooker, 2nd; Mrs. Wyman, 3rd.

Out Meal Bread: Mary Malohuey, 2nd.

COLLECTION CANNED GOODS
Maple Sugar: Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 1st.

Soft Sugar: Mrs. M. H. Elliott, 1st.

Jellies: Raspberry, Mrs. Wyman, 1st; Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 2nd; Plum, Mrs. Wyman, 1st.

Apples: Mrs. V. M. Perkins, 2nd; Mrs. M. H. Elliott, 3rd.

Crabapple, sweet mixed pickle, Mrs. W. N. Akers.

Cucumber pickles: Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 1st; Mrs. M. H. Elliott, 2nd; Mrs. W. N. Akers, 3rd.

Chopped tomato, mustard pickles: Mrs. W. N. Akers, 1st, 2nd.

Raspberry Jam: Mrs. V. M. Perkins, 1st.

SINGLE VARIETY HOUSE PLANTS
Asters: Mrs. L. F. Swain, 1st.

Panicles: Mrs. L. F. Swain, 2nd.

BEST VARIETY CANNED GOODS
Isabelle French, 1st.

FARM AND GARDEN DISPLAY
By Boy or Girl Under 15 years
Marie Elliot, 1st.

Largest variety of fruit: Charlie Lovejoy, 1st.

Best specimen of each variety: Wolf River: Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 1st; E. M. Bailey, 2nd; Leon Roberts, 3rd.

Almond: E. M. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 2nd; Chas. Lovejoy, 3rd.

Black Oxford: E. M. Bailey, 1st; Mrs. J. Holton Abbott, 2nd.

Wealth: Charlie Cutting, 1st; H. E. Hall, 2nd; Charles Lovejoy, 3rd.

Duchess: Charles Lovejoy, 1st; Chas. Cutting, 2nd.

Snow Apples: Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd; H. Robinson, 3rd.

Red Astrachans: Leon Roberts, 1st; Tolman Sweet: Chas. Lovejoy, 1st; E. M. Bailey, 2nd; Leon Roberts, 3rd.

Fall Crab: Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 1st; Leon Roberts, 2nd.

Winter Crab: Leon Roberts, 1st.

Penmanship: Hildreth Robinson, 1st.

Crochet: Amelia Marston, 1st.

Knitting: Constance Thomas, 1st.

Drawing, Map of Maine: Mario Elliot, 1st.

Needlework: Mrs. Leon Roberts, 1st; Mrs. Ray Thurston, 2nd.

Embroidered Centerpiece: Mrs. S. A. Marston, 1st; Mrs. H. F. Inman, 2nd; Mrs. G. M. Newhall, 3rd.

Crocheted Centerpiece: Mrs. A. J. Stevens, 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

Embroidered Table Cover: Miss Jane Gregg, (80 years old), 1st.

Any Table Cover: Gladys M. Howard, 1st; Mrs. H. F. Inman, 2nd; Mrs. G. M. Newhall, 3rd.

Fancy Sofa Pillow: Una Roberts, 1st; Mrs. H. F. Inman, 2nd, 3rd.

Fancy Apron: Evelyn Smith, 1st.

Wallpaper Embroidery: Una Roberts, 1st; Lucene Smith, 2nd.

Eyeglet Embroidery: Alice Andrews, 1st; Mrs. Ray Thurston, 2nd; Evelyn Smith, 3rd.

Sold Embroidery: Alice Andrews, 1st; Una Roberts, 2nd; Gladys Howard, 3rd.

Coronation Braid: Una Roberts, 1st.

Crocheted Corset Cover: Mrs. Walter Jackson, 1st.

Child's Muffler: Mrs. Leon Roberts, 1st.

Fancy Towels: Mrs. C. A. Andrews, 1st; Evelyn Smith, 2nd; Una Roberts, 3rd.

Crocheted Pin Cushion: Mrs. H. F. Inman, 1st; Una Roberts, 2nd.

Lemonade Set: Lucene Smith, 1st.

Crocheted Wool Hat: Evelyn Smith, 1st.

Handmade Canister: Evelyn Smith, 1st.

Fancy Handkerchief: Alice Andrews, 1st; Evelyn Smith, 2nd.

Fancy Bags: Mrs. Leon Roberts, 1st.

Fancy Caps: Grace Mitchell, 1st.

Table Runner: Corning Set: Mrs. Frank Newton, 1st.

Hot Water Bottle Cover: Miss Jane Gregg, 1st.

Crocheted Yoke: Mrs. J. L. Bailey, 1st.

Radio Basket: Marie Keyo, 1st.

Sleeveless Sweater: Mrs. Katherine McAllister, 1st.

Embroidered Pin Cushion: Mrs. H. F. Inman, 1st.

Buffet Set: Mrs. H. F. Inman, 1st.

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NOTICE.
The subscriber hereby gives notice
that she has been duly appointed
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of Charlotte Legere late of Mexico in
the County of Oxford, deceased, and
given bonds as the law directs. All
persons having demands against the
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THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

WAR TIME RECIPES

Prepared by Prof. Frances R. Freeman, Home Economics Director, United States Food Administration, Orono, Maine

SUGARLESS GINGERBREAD

1/2 cup fat
1 1/2 cups molasses
1 cup boiling water
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon soda
1 cup sugar
1 cup corn flour
1 1/2 cups barley flour
2 eggs

Cream the fat, add the molasses and the boiling water. Add the sifted dry ingredients to the first mixture. Add the eggs last. Bake the cake in a shallow pan in a moderate oven.

SNOW PUDDING

1 tablespoon granulated gelatin
2 tablespoons cold water
3/4 cup boiling water
3 eggs whites (use yolks for salad dressing or for soft custard sauce)
1 1/2 scant cups syrup or
3/4 cup honey
1/2 cup lemon juice

Soak gelatin in cold water, dissolve in boiling water, add the sweetening and lemon juice, strain and allow to cool; stir mixture occasionally. When quite thick beat with egg beater until frothy; add whites beaten stiff and continue beating the mixture until stiff enough to hold its shape. Mould in a large dish or in individual cups. Serve with soft custard.

SOFT CUSTARD

1 pint milk
1/2 scant cup syrup or
1/2 cup honey
3/4 teaspoon salt
2 whole eggs or 4 yolks
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Scald milk in double boiler, add syrup, salt and stir together. Pour slowly on to slightly beaten eggs stirring constantly. Cook in double boiler until mixture thickens and coats the spoon. Add vanilla. Remove from fire.

TAPIOCA FRUIT MOLD

2 cups milk
1 cup honey or 1/2 cup syrup
6 level tablespoons small tapioca
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup cream

Berries for garnishing.
Heat milk in a double boiler, add sweetening and stir in the tapioca. Cook for 30 minutes. Pour in a bowl to cool, then add vanilla and fold in the cream which has been whipped. Ornament with fresh berries, chill and serve.

FRUIT SAUCE

1 cup fresh fruit (raspberries, strawberries, sliced peaches, cherries)
1/2 cup white syrup
Heat syrup to boiling and pour over fruit and mix carefully.

BAKED INDIAN PUDDING

1 quart milk
1 cup cornmeal
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup syrup
1/2 cup shredded coconut
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

Heat the milk to the boiling point. Add cornmeal, stirring constantly. Cook ten to fifteen minutes. Add other ingredients.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

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—Mrs. LEXIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.



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lients. Bake in a greased pan in a slow oven for one hour.

JUNKET

3 cups whole milk
3/4 cup syrup or
1/2 cup honey
1 junket tablet
1 tablespoon cold water
1 teaspoon vanilla

Heat milk and syrup in a double boiler until lukewarm. Crush the junket tablet and dissolve it in cold water and add to milk. Add vanilla and stir thoroughly and quickly. Pour at once into glass serving dishes and let stand undisturbed until firm, then chill. Serve with fresh berries or grate nutmeg over surface and serve with cream.

BAKED CUSTARD

1 quart milk
3/4 cup syrup
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 eggs
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Heat the milk, add the syrup and salt. Stir in the eggs which are slightly beaten. Add vanilla. Bake in a moderately hot oven fifteen to twenty-five minutes or until a sharp pointed knife inserted in custard comes out clean.

GRAPE SHERBET

1 teaspoon gelatin
1 tablespoon cold water
1 cup syrup or 1/2 cup honey
1/2 cup water
3/4 cup grape juice
2 tablespoons lemon juice

Soak gelatin in 1 tablespoon of cold water, dissolve it in boiling syrup and water. Let mixture cool, add grape juice and lemon juice and freeze.

HEALTHY BOWELS

Nine-tenths of human sickness, from infancy to old age, comes from stomach or bowels being out of order.

Headaches, tired feeling, nervous depression, weakness, spots before the eyes, bad breath, sleeplessness, irritability, dizziness and many other signs of sickness stop, if you treat the stomach and bowels right and get them into working order.

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MAINE FAIR DATES AND SECRETARIES

September 24, 25—West Penobscot, Exeter. E. E. Colbath, Exeter.

September 24, 26 Franklin County, Farmington. George D. Clark, Farmington.

September 25—West Bethel Grange Fair, West Bethel. J. P. Mather.

September 28—Bear River Grange, Newry Corner.

October 1, 2 Androscoggin County Fair, Livermore Falls.

October 1, 3—Four County Fair Association, Pittsfield. Fred R. Smith, Pittsfield.

October 1, 3—West Oxford, Fryeburg. B. Walker McKenna, Fryeburg.

October 1, 3—Lincoln County, Danville. J. A. Perkins, Danville.

October 1—Greene Town Fair Association, Greene. W. O. Philbrook, Greene.

November 19, 21—Maine State Pomological, Portland. E. L. White, Portland.

December 3, 5—York County Poultry Association, Sanford. L. C. Holmes, Sanford.

December 15—Bangor Poultry Association, Bangor. W. H. Northrop, Bangor.

TO MAKE POULTRY KEEPING PROFITABLE

By G. E. Conkey

Many problems have been solved and much good accomplished during the past year that will not only help those on our farms but those residing in towns and the suburbs of our cities. Many are now taking up the work of poultry and gardening, contributing their help in maintaining our food supply, as each day more men are called into service in defense of our principles and the honor of our country.

To attain and hold a high standard in the production of poultry and eggs a reasonable profit must be had over the cost of feed. Long periods of illness must now be overcome. Attention now means eggs this winter. Do not put off things that should be done but get busy at once. Thought and action are as important to the man or woman raising poultry as to those being trained for military duty. To succeed you must put forth your best efforts.

Never was there a time when it was more important that we should make every pound of grain productive. This cannot be done where stock is neglected. Guard against lice and disease. Lousy chicks will not grow and lousy hens lay but few eggs. Because the house had been given a coat of whitewash do not take it for granted there are no lice. Examine your stock regularly, at least once each week; also the

GUARDING AGAINST INFLUENZA

The rapid extension around the world of the so-called Spanish Influenza, and the rather high mortality rates which have followed its path in many places has led the State Department of Health to issue a two-page leaflet on "Guarding Against Influenza."

This leaflet teaches that influenza, or grip as we often call it, is one of those diseases in which the infection is given off in the secretions from the nose, throat and air passages of those who are sick and that the infection is transmitted to other persons by the droplets sprayed into the air in coughing and sneezing, by things used in common, such as cups, spoons, forks, and towels. In schools the disease may be spread rapidly by book, pencils, and drinking cups used in common.

The persons who are endangered by the infection are those who come in pretty close contact or association with infectious persons, or enter rooms, vehicles and other enclosed spaces infected by them. There is no danger of infection in the open air, save in very close contact with infectious persons.

Personal Safeguards

The advice given by the Department for avoiding the infection is to cut out unnecessary visits to public places and unnecessary travel. Walk if you can do so instead of taking a street car. Do not visit persons who show the symptoms of grip or of a cold if you can well avoid doing so; and do not give a cordial reception to persons showing such symptoms who unnecessarily intrude their presence upon you. Be particularly careful not to use drinking cups used by others or towels or anything else used in common.

Rules for the Sick One and the Sick Room

The room should be well ventilated and slightly warmed in cold weather. It is safer for the sick one to take his bed early, to call his physician and not to leave his room too soon, for there is much danger of serious complications, such as broncho-pneumonia which frequently ends fatally.

Secretions from the nose and throat should be received on pieces of paper or pieces of cotton cloth and burned promptly. Have as carefully as possible clothing and other things about the patient from being soiled. There is danger not only from the fresh sputum and nasal discharges, but contaminated articles, soon after drying, which infections dust into the room when shaken or moved too vigorously. Aside from the danger of aerial transmission for only a few feet from the sick one and in the infectious room, the infection may easily be transmitted by the fingers. Careful washing of the hands should not be neglected after the contact with the infectious secretions from the patient or the things used by him.

General Measures

While a general quarantine seems impracticable, pupils with grip or colds, particularly when grip in severe form is present, should be excluded from the schools. The infection of influenza is short-lived, so no disinfection, particularly no fumigation, is required, but there should be thorough cleansing, and the disinfection by boiling of the things which have been contaminated and can thus be treated.

bottom side of perches on which they roost. Lice and poultry cannot be grown with profit at the same time. One of the other must lose out. It is now coming to the time of year when colds are very frequent among poultry. Young stock is very susceptible and if neglected usually develops into roup, a very contagious and destructive disease.

Chickens, which usually start in a very mild form but develop rapidly, is also highly contagious and should be given close attention at once. Diseases of this nature have been great stumbling blocks that have wrecked the fowl flocks of many breeders, turning the entire season's labor into a hopeless loss.

Molting Hens

Hens that are to be kept laying as long as possible in order to pay feed bills during late fall until the young pullets come in, must have rich, nutritious food. If not on a good range the animal ration taking the place of bugs and worms, should be increased during the period of molt, with the amount of grain slightly reduced. Every effort should be made to maintain the hen's full supply of blood by keeping the system well toned up. When nutriment and blood supply are insufficient the reproductive organs become dormant and will remain so till the normal amount is again supplied. Much blood is drawn on in the growing of new feathers. It is only by maintaining this supply that the fowls can quickly be brought through to the laying stage.

Save to Buy and Buy to Keep

CANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollis of Portland have been guests of his brother, Edwin K. Hollis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. House and daughter, Pauline, of North Turner, have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Towle. Mr. Towle remains in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Lucas spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. H. Towle, and family of Dixfield.

Charles Hollis and Harold Bradford are both ill with the grip.

Mrs. Charles K. Flanders of Livermore Falls has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Briggs, and family.

Mrs. Edwin K. Hollis has resigned her position as telephone operator and Miss Florence Smith of Rumford has accepted the position and will have charge of the office, commencing her labors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ingersoll of Bolster's Mills are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Sept. 15, who has been named Ronald Winfield.

Swasey Wadlin has been at home on a furlough.

A prohibition lecture will be given at the Canton Universalist church this week by Rev. S. M. Hammond of Tennessee. A fine American flag has been sent to the school children to compete for. The children are passing votes for their grades and the school who has the most votes passed in Tuesday evening wins the flag.

A request has been sent to the citizens of Canton to save all fruit pits and nut shells for the government for the manufacture of gas masks for the soldiers. These can be left at the Red Cross headquarters.

Relatives in town have received word of the safe arrival of Arthur L. Tirrell overseas.

Charles Mitchell of Beverly, Mass., has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Ellis and other relatives.

Miss Utecht attended the meeting of the Oxford Baptist Association at Hebron last week.

Mrs. Emma Stratton and child of Rumford Center have been guests of her sister, Miss Lida Abbott.

Mrs. Sarah E. Reynolds is a guest of her sister, Miss Flora M. Mitchell, of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas returned Wednesday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Blanche A. Newman, of Auburn.

Edwin Smith has moved his portable saw mill to North Livermore, where lumber is being saved on the E. E. Hinckley wood lot.

Mrs. Clara Jones of Rumford has been a guest of Mrs. Abbie Proctor, who returned here for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Melvina Young of Livermore has presented the town a piece of land upon which to erect a public library. This was given in memory of her late husband, L. A. Young. It is in a fine location near the Universalist church.

Clara Johnson is confined by his home by illness.

The Belgian Relief drive should attract the attention of everyone this week. Clothing should be left at the Red Cross rooms as early in the week as possible.

Philaender Kidder of Auburn has been a guest of relatives in Hartford.

E. K. Hollis, Fred Lowell and several others are ill with the grip.

Winifred Dicknell is on the sick list.

More workers are needed at the Red Cross rooms as there is a large amount of work to be done.

Miss Eleanor Westgate has been visiting in Lewiston.

Mrs. Howard Hanson of Hallowell is a guest of Mrs. G. F. Towle and assisting in the care of Mr. Towle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs and F. Wilbur Briggs and family have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Briggs of Auburn. They also had as guests their son, Carl Briggs, wife and son of Philadelphia.

Pearl Chadbourne is very ill at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary S. Reed.

Arnel Ellis plans to go to the University of Maine, Saturday, where he will take a course in civil engineering.

Mrs. Melvina Young has sold her farm situated between Livermore and North Turner to E. E. Foster of Backfield.

Volunteers by Fred Russell of Lynn, Mass., were enjoyed at the Universalist church, Sunday. He was accompanied by Miss Westgate.

The Canton Educational Society has secured through the Foltz Albert Lyceum Bureau of Boston a series of entertainments to be given during the winter. The first one will be given at the Canton Opera House on the evening of Oct. 12th, when Davis Co. will entertain the audience with his famous experiments of the so-called "Black Art."

Mr. Davis and his assistant are world conquerors in their line of work. On Saturday evening, Dec. 14th, Chief Strongheart, chief of the Yakimas, will give an entertainment. He speaks, acts and interprets the life of a great, but vanishing race, appearing in full dress costume. Legends and facts are interwoven in the lecture-entertainment, "From Peace Pipe to War Trail." His thrilling address which has recruited

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It is a great cause for which America is engaged in this war; it is a great struggle in which the very hope of the world is bound up that is being waged in Europe and on the high seas. It is an honor to have a part in it and all Americans, all of their lives, will be proud of the part they had in it or ashamed of their failure to do their part.

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LOOKER'S MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed have been visiting in Boston for a week. Mrs. Blanton of West Paris is a guest of Mrs. Alice Farrington for a few days.

Tracy Pierce visited the week end with relatives at Norway.

Mrs. Silas Kenniston was a guest of relatives in South Paris, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis of Newry visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Swan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown are entertaining relatives from away.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lurvey of Woodstock were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. Chas. H. Swan.

Mrs. E. L. Tebbets of Auburn called on her son, Charles, Tuesday, while on her way around the White Mountains.

PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court at Paris in vacation in and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-fourth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of October, A. D. 1918, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Abbie A. Sanborn late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Elery C. Park as executor thereof to serve without bond as provided in said will presented by said Elery C. Park, the executor therein named.

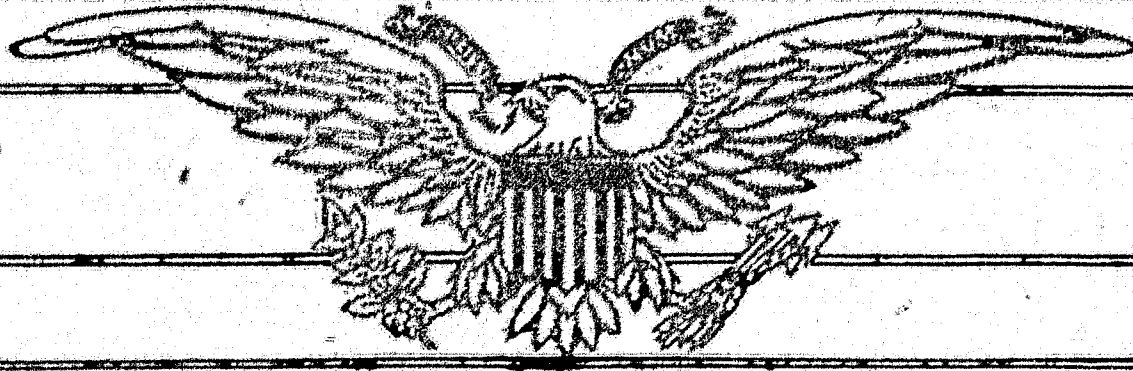
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Judge of said Court.

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ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

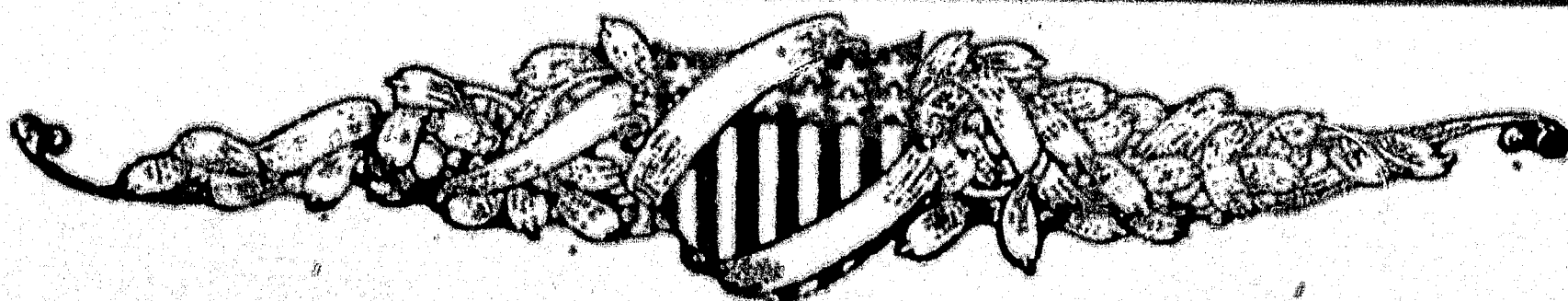
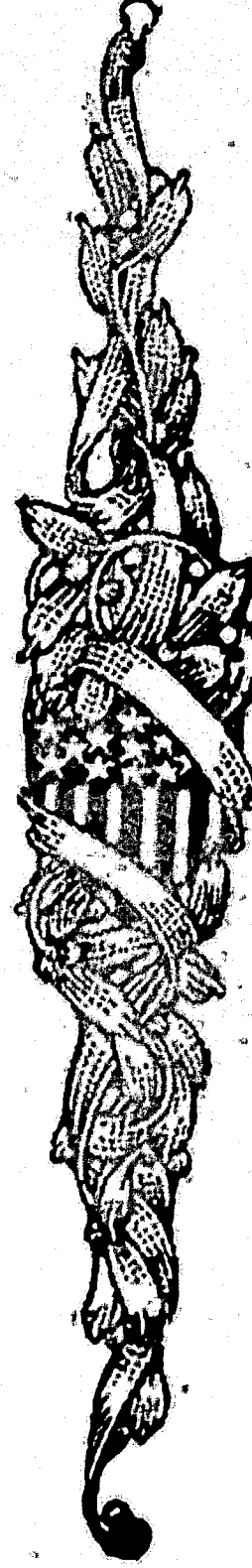
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Again the Government comes to the people of the country with the request that they lend their money, and lend it upon a more liberal scale than ever before, in order that the great war for the rights of America and the liberation of the world may be prosecuted with ever increasing vigor to a victorious conclusion. And it makes the appeal with the greatest confidence because it knows that every day is becoming clearer and clearer to thinking men throughout the nation that the winning of the war is an essential inevitability. The money that is held back now will be of little use or value if the war is not won and the selfish masters of Germany are permitted to dictate what America may and may not do. Men in America, besides, have from the first, unless now dedicated to their lives and their fortunes to the vindication and maintenance of the great principles and objects for which our Government was set up. They will not fail now to show the world for what their wealth was intended.

Woodrow Wilson



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WEST BETHEL
GRA

The rain of the past long enough to allow the cultural fair of the West to be held on Wednesday in spite of the bad travel a good crowd present.

The exhibition in the good display of vegetable attractive was the display goods by the Girls' Can A. Van Den Kerckhove, leader of Boys' and present and explained methods of canning.

The different booths were as also did the girls' cross tags.

The ball game in the between West Falls and finished the excitement and resulted in a victory.

West Bethel cooks have reputation and the dinner a crowd waiting to be chicken pie supper was tended.

Shaw's orchestra furnished dancing both afternoon.

HORSE PULL

The horse pulling was set and resulted as follows: 2 lbs. rock to 1 lb. Smith, 111 ft., 7 in.; B. ft., 7 in.; C. F. Saunders. Sweepstakes—\$500 loan P. Saunders, 31 ft., 7 in. bins, 25 ft., 6 in.; R. W. 3 in.

HALL

Best general exhibit duets, Frank A. Brown, 1st & Son, 2nd.

Best general exhibit of den truck, Ira Hickford.

Best general exhibit of Ordway, 1st; Grace Farwell.

Best exhibit of canned McNish.

Best exhibit of traced cr, 1st.

Best exhibit of potatoes er, 1st.

Best specimen of fattening, 1st.

Best specimen of cr Grover, 1st.

Best specimen of cumber Howard, 1st.

Best specimen of knittling, 1st.

Best sofa pillow, Mrs. 1st.

Best patch work quilt, 1st.

Girls' Canning Club, 1st; Myrtle Beckler.

CATTLE

Holsteins: G. D. Morrill Herefords: E. H. Morrill

Best two year old, year Morrill, 1st.

Best bull: G. D. Morrill, Best Guernsey bull, (year Morrill, 1st.

Best sow pig: G. D. Morrill, Best boar: G. D. Morrill

Best six sheep: Fred Fred Ordway, 2nd.

Best buck: Fred Mund Ordway, 2nd.

Best mare and colt: Wal 1st; W. L. Robbins, 2nd.

SOCIAL AT GARLAND

Despite the downpour Thursday a merry company of young gathered at Garland Chapel.

The occasion was a far given by the Sunday School, S. C. E. to two of their men, two Hanson and Lawrence who enter Bates College this.

An interesting program of vocal and instrumental solos, choruses and reading by Fred was much enjoyed.

Light refreshments were served which all participated in.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father, from the Lodge our sister, therefore, be it

Resolved: That Sonnet Lodge has lost a faithful member, who was ever ready helping hand and encouraging work pertaining to the Order.

Resolved: That while we are not without hope of reuniting we strive with sympathy to lighten the grief of the sisters.

Resolved: That our charter for thirty days, that a copy resolutions be placed on record and to the bereaved sisters of the Oxford County Chapter.

IDA M. PACKARD, DAISY PHILBROOK, ETHEL J. PHILBROOK

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